

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By _____

1 AMEND House Bill No. 2448, in the title, Line 3, by deleting the phrase "election costs" and
2 inserting in lieu thereof the phrase "elections"; and
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4 Further amend said bill, Page 2, Section 115.065, Line 39, by inserting after all of said section and
5 line the following:
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7 "163.018. 1. Notwithstanding the definition of "average daily attendance" in subdivision
8 (2) of section 163.011 to the contrary, pupils between the ages of three and five who are eligible for
9 free and reduced lunch and attend an early childhood education program that is operated by and in a
10 district or by a charter school that has declared itself as a local educational agency providing full-
11 day kindergarten and that meets standards established by the state board of education shall be
12 included in the district's or charter school's calculation of average daily attendance. The total
13 number of such pupils included in the district's or charter school's calculation of average daily
14 attendance shall not exceed four percent of the total number of pupils who are eligible for free and
15 reduced lunch between the ages of three and eighteen who are included in the district's or charter
16 school's calculation of average daily attendance.

17 2. (1) For any district that has been declared unaccredited by the state board of education
18 and remains unaccredited as of July 1, 2015, the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall
19 become applicable during the 2015-16 school year.

20 (2) For any district that is declared unaccredited by the state board of education after July 1,
21 2015, and for any charter school located in said district, the provisions of subsection 1 of this
22 section shall become applicable immediately upon such declaration.

23 (3) For any district that has been declared provisionally accredited by the state board of
24 education and remains provisionally accredited as of July 1, 2016, and for any charter school
25 located in said district, the provisions of subsection 1 of this section shall become applicable
26 beginning in the 2016-17 school year.

27 (4) For any district that is declared provisionally accredited by the state board of education
28 after July 1, 2016, and for any charter school located in said district, the provisions of this section
29 shall become applicable beginning in the 2016-17 school year or immediately upon such
30 declaration, whichever is later.

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1 (5) For all other districts and for all other charter schools, the provisions of subsection 1 of
2 this section shall become effective in any school year subsequent to a school year in which the
3 amount appropriated for subsections 1 and 2 of section 163.031 is equal to or exceeds the amount
4 necessary to fund the entire entitlement calculation determined by subsections 1 and 2 of section
5 163.031, and shall remain effective in all school years thereafter, irrespective of the amount
6 appropriated for subsections 1 and 2 of section 163.031 in any succeeding year.

7 3. This section shall not require school attendance beyond that mandated under section
8 167.031 and shall not change or amend the provisions of sections 160.051, 160.053, 160.054, and
9 160.055 relating to kindergarten attendance.

10 Section B. Because of the importance of funding early childhood education programs,
11 section 163.018 of section A of this act is deemed necessary for the immediate preservation of the
12 public health, welfare, peace, and safety, and is hereby declared to be an emergency act within the
13 meaning of the constitution, and section 163.018 of section A of this act shall be in full force and
14 effect upon its passage and approval."; and

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16 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
17 accordingly.